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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL **OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 10, 2008**

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AMENDMENT

Sir or Madam:

In response to the final Office action of September 10, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.